

## State of Utah

## **DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES**

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William Gibbs American Sands Energy Corporation 201 South Main Street, Suite 1800 Salt Lake City, Utah 84111

Subject: Review Schedule, American Sands Energy Corporation, Bruin Point Mine, M/007/0040,

Carbon County, Utah

Dear Mr. Gibbs:

On March 17, 2015, the Division of Oil, Gas and Mining (Division) received a response to its November 21, 2014, review of the Notice of Intention to Commence Large Mining Operations for the Bruin Point mine. The Division has nearly completed review of the March 17, 2015, submittal, but additional information was received April 17, 2015. The Division has decided to evaluate the most recent information together with that received in March, so there will be a delay in issuing a response. Though I am not certain how long this delay will be, I anticipate it being about two weeks.

Please let me know if you need further information.

Paul Baker

Sincerely

Minerals Program Manager

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